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AT CONFERENCE HELD ON JUNE 26, 1973, IN DEPT WITH RALPH SCARRITT, REPRESENTATIVES OF L AND JUSTICE, IT WAS DECIDED THAT AN ATTEMPT SHOULD BE MADE TO SEEK AN EXTRA JUDICIAL SETTLEMENT OF MENEZES CLAIM PRIMARILY ON THE BASIS OF THE QTE DECLARATION UNQTE OF JAN. 6, 1966, CHARACTERIZING MENEZES AS AN EMPLOYEE OF THE U.S. EMBASSY. SCARRITT WAS REQUESTED TO TAKE NECESSARY STEPS IMMEDIATELY UPON HIS RETURN TO BRASILIA TO EXPLORE SUCH SETTLEMENT POSSIBILITY. CONSEQUENTLY NO RPT NO APPEARANCE SHOULD BE MADE IN COURT ON AUGUST 1 AND EMBASSY REQUESTED TO SEEK POSTPONEMENT OF LEGAL PROCEEDINGS SUFFICIENTLY LONG TO ENABLE SCARRITT TO EXPLORE SUCH SETTLEMENT POSSIBILITIES. ROGERS

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